[*English*]

Vacancies of Members in CAT Benches, Rajasthan

4838. PROF. RASA SINGH RAWAT: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the strength of Members in each of the benches of the Central Administrative Tribunal in Rajasthan;

(b) whether some posts of Members in these benches are lying vacant; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and the action taken to fill up the vacant posts?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA): (a) There are two benches of the Central Administrative Tribunal in Rajasthan:

(i) Jodhpur Bench with sanctioned strength of one Vice-Chairman and three Members.

(ii) Jaipur Bench with sanctioned strength of two Members.

(b) and (c). Only one post of Member in Jaipur Bench is vacant. Action to fill up this vacancy has already been initiated.

[*Translation*]

White Paper on Industrial Condition

4839. PROF. RASA SINGH RAWAT: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to bring out a white paper on the industrial condition of the country in context of new industrial policy;

(b) if so, the time by which it would be brought out and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) the manner in which the control and monopoly of the multinational companies and N.R.I. on the Indian Industry would be curbed; and

(d) the basic difference between the new industrial policy and the industrial policy enforced hitherto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (PROF. P.J. KURIEN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) The Industrial performance & Policies are reviewed annually by the Government in the Annual Report of the Department of Industrial Development as well as in the Economic Survey which is placed in both Houses of Parliament.

(c) Foreign investments and investments by NRIs is permitted according to the policy and priorities of the Government.

(d) The basic difference between the new Industrial Policy and the Industrial Policy in force hereto has been enunciated in the Statement on Industrial Policy tabled in both Houses of Parliament of 24th July, 1991.

[*English*]

Changes in Electronic Policy

4840. SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to make some major changes in the existing electronics policy;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which the new electronics policy is likely to be introduced?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA): (a) and (b). No, Sir. However, the existing policies for the electronic sector are continuously being evaluated and modifications or changes are incorporated as and when necessary.

(d) Does not arise.

Financial Assistance to States under ARWSP

4841. SHRI SYED SHAHABUDDIN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to refer to the reply given to Unstarred Question No. 1957 on August 8, 1991 and state;

(a) the number of fully covered, partially covered and 'No Source' problem villages, State/Union Territory-wise;

(b) whether the allocations under the Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme to various States/Union Territories are weighted in proportion to the number of partially covered and 'No Source' problem villages at the beginning of the financial year; and

(c) if so, the target for each State/Union Territory for the year 1991-92 in terms of number of partially covered villages to be fully covered and the number of 'No Source' problem villages to be provided with drinking water facility during the current financial year?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI UTTAMBHAI H. PATEL): (a) The number of fully covered, partially covered and 'No Source' problem villages, State/Ut-wise, based on the reports received so far is given in the statement.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise.